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From: Commandant of the Marine Corps
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Subj: MARINE CORPS STRATIFICATION OF PRINCIPAL END ITEM (PEI STRAT) PROCESS
POLICY

1. Purpose. Establish policy, responsibilities, and authority associated with the PEI Strat process.

2. Background. All services must periodically review their asset posture versus their requirements to assist in the planning, preparation and justification of their Program Objectives Memorandum (POM). Headquarters Marine Corps (HQMC) Deputy Chief of Staff for Installations and Logistics (DC/S I&L) is responsible for assessing Marine Corps ground equipment asset posture against requirements defined by Commanding General, Marine Corps Combat Development Command (CG MCCDC), and for providing agencies with the necessary information to make POM and budgetary decisions.

3. Information

a. The PEI Strat process extracts and accumulates logistics data allowing for the stratification and display of that data in a manner that relates assets to requirements in a specific priority/time sequence throughout the Future Years Defense Plan (FYDP). The data is drawn from numerous logistics systems and summarized to pinpoint materiel deficiencies, excesses, and funding shortfalls for Operation and Maintenance Marine Corps (O&MMC), Operation and Maintenance Marine Corps Reserves (O&MMCR), Procurement Marine Corps (PMC), and National Guard and Reserve Equipment Appropriations (NGREA).

b. The PEI Strat process is used in support of:

- (1) Allowance visibility,
- (2) Asset visibility,
- (3) Materiel capability (readiness/sustainment),
- (4) Depot Level Maintenance Program (DLMP),
- (5) POM development/budget execution,
- (6) Combat Development Processes,

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- (7) Force structure development and reviews,
- (8) Wargaming,
- (9) Modeling/"what if" scenarios,
- (10) Distribution of assets throughout the Marine Corps.

4. Scope. All supply class VII and class II (allowance type) items required by the Marine Corps shall be included in the PEI Strat process.

5. Responsibility

a. Deputy Chief of Staff for Installations and Logistics

- (1) Establish and maintain policy for PEI Strat.
- (2) Serve as the approving authority to the PEI Strat process for maintenance, modification, and modernization.
- (3) Provide the PEI Strat process as a data source for the POM.
- (4) Chair and convene a PEI Strat working group.
- (5) Publish a bulletin in the 4400 series to provide distribution guidance as directed by the Commandant of the Marine Corps.
- (6) Validate and certify DC/S I&L sponsored data.
- (7) Review and report any discrepancies in data to the responsible organization as identified in this Order.

b. Deputy Chief of Staff for Programs and Resources

- (1) Perform programmatic analysis of all approved acquisition objectives/war materiel requirements (AAO/WMR) to ensure compliance with HQMC and Department of Defense (DoD) guidance.
- (2) Use the PEI Strat process as a data source during POM deliberations for validating deficiencies in fielded ground equipment PEI's.
- (3) Review and report any discrepancies in data to the responsible organization as identified in this Order.

c. Commanding General, Marine Corps Combat Development Command

(1) Ensure that the AAO/WMR's for fielded and planned procurement of ground equipment are included into the PEI Strat process.

(2) Manage and improve automated tools that support requirements determination and equipment allowance elements of the PEI Strat process; as system sponsor and functional manager for table of organization (T/O) and table of equipment (T/O) systems.

(3) Use the PEI Strat process as a data source for identifying POM initiatives.

(4) Identify PEI Strat requirements to support modeling and analysis capabilities for logistics wargaming, allowance modification reviews, readiness and sustainment queries, and other capabilities as required by validated user needs.

(5) Validate and certify CG MCCDC sponsored data (e.g., structure data).

(6) Review and report any discrepancies in data to the responsible organization as identified in this Order.

d. Commanders, Marine Forces

(1) Reconcile and validate on-hand balances provided to the controlled items file to ensure accuracy in the PEI Strat available asset field.

(2) Certify and validate Marine Forces sponsored PEI Strat data.

e. Commander, Marine Corps Systems Command

(1) Use the PEI Strat process as a data source for developing POM initiatives and other programming and budgetary actions.

(2) Provide and update acquisition related item logistics data (e.g., length, width, height, etc.) and essential materiel support information for MCCDC approved allowance items.

(3) Validate and certify COMMARCORSYSCOM sponsored data.

(4) Review and report any discrepancies in data to the responsible organization as identified in this Order.

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f. Commander, Marine Corps Logistics Bases

(1) Coordinate the validation of data with internal and external sponsors.

(2) Certify and validate COMMARCORLOGBASES sponsored data.

(3) Validate and provide data on a quarterly basis to the users or as requested.

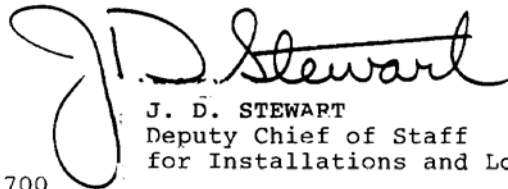
(4) Use the PEI Strat process as a data source for the DC/S I&L quarterly ground equipment readiness brief.

(5) Publish and maintain PEI Strat operating procedures.

(6) Use the PEI Strat process as a data source for developing POM initiatives, DLMP, and other actions.

(7) Develop and provide modeling and analysis, using PEI Strat data, to support logistics wargaming, allowance modification reviews, readiness and sustainment queries, and other capabilities as required.

6. Reserve Applicability. This Order is applicable to the Marine Corps Reserve.



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